



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of: **Shigeru HIDEAWA**

Group Art Unit: 2835

Serial No.: 09/917,761

Examiner: **Hung V. Duong**

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For. **ELECTRONIC APPARATUS AND ELECTRIC PART**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 30, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2003 for two months from April 30, 2003, to June 30, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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